

VILLAGE



GOSSIP
(More or Less)

Jac Kennedy, son of Mrs. Eunice Floyd Kennedy of Tucson, Ariz., will graduate from the University of Arizona May 25. The Kennedys are former residents of McLean.

The annual vacation Bible School at the First Baptist Church is scheduled to be held this year June 6 through 17.

Dr. Buell T. Wells was awarded \$36 in merchandise certificates at the Appreciation Day activity in McLean last Saturday afternoon.

J. W. Meacham is the new president of the board of the McLean Independent School District; the new officers on the board were elected several weeks ago following the annual election.

Meacham has been serving as secretary, and was succeeded in that position by Clyde Andrews, retiring president of the board. Hershel McCarty was named as vice president. Other board members are Clyde Brown, E. J. Windom Jr., Sammy Haynes, and Bill Cash.

All women interested in a course in some phase of home-making are asked to meet at the homemaking department room in McLean High School Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Plans for classes to be held in June will be made, Mrs. J. D. Coleman, local homemaking teacher of the school, said.

Mrs. Paul Macina of the Pagan community will be the "Cook of the Week" over KGNC-TV, Amarillo, Wednesday of next week. She is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Miro Pagan of McLean.

Bob Sherrad, general chairman of the recent American Legion rodeo, sponsored this year by the Legion and the McLean Roping Club, this week issued a special thanks to all who aided with the rodeo in any way.

"We wish to especially thank the following: Oscar Tibbets for plowing and watering the arena; Chuck Cooke for allowing the use of his building for rodeo headquarters; Rev. J. E. Kerr, Minister Harold McColum, Dr. Buell Wells, and James Cliett, for giving our invocations; W. W. Boyd, for serving as parade marshal; Carl Jones, for furnishing a stock tank; Boyd Meador and Sammy Haynes, for serving as masters of ceremonies on the booster trips; everyone who helped make the booster trips successful; all members of the McLean Roping Club; Raymond McPherson, Rip Barrett, Richard Brown, Joe Howard, Harvey Taylor, and Pete Greenhouse, for aiding with the rodeo itself; and the business men who made the trophy buckles possible," Sherrad said.

Four girls of McLean High School sang several numbers to entertain members of the local Lions Club at their regular meeting Tuesday noon. The girls, accompanied at the piano by Gayle Mullanax, were Barbara Carter, Jo Ann Turner, Marie Watson, and Becky Barker.

Guests at the meeting included County Agent Ralph Thomas of Pampa, Bill Reeves, and Genie Havens. Miss Havens represented the local club at the district convention queen's contest at Lubbock in April.

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KELLERVILLE 8TH GRADERS TO GRADUATE

Commencement exercises for the eighth grade class of the Kellerville school will be held Friday night at the school auditorium beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Principal speaker will be Jesse J. Dyer, Wheeler County superintendent. Albert Walker is the school principal and sponsor of the eighth grade class.

Valedictorian of the class is Geraldine McPherson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. McPherson, and she will give the valedictory address. Laura Mae Switzer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Switzer, will give her address as salutatorian.

Giving the class prophecy will be Gene Mack Shirley, and Ray Hupp will read the class will. Other class members are Helen Farren, Verlene Tinkler, and Dennis Cobb.

F. F. A. TEAMS FARE WELL IN STATE MEET

The two McLean judging teams from the local chapter of Future Farmers of America didn't win first places in the state contests at Texas A. and M. College last week-end, but they did fare well.

One team member did exceptionally well, placing ninth among individuals in high point scoring in the dairy judging. He is Bob Stubblefield, one of three boys on the local team.

The dairy team, composed of Stubblefield, Fred Smith, and Carl Henley, was rated 24th in the state—there were 80 teams from all over Texas in the state contest.

The livestock judging team, made up of Butch Turpen, Gerald Tate, and Joe Dwyer, did a bit better. The group finished in 22nd place out of a total of 79 teams.

The boys were accompanied to the state contests by Vernon Gibson, local F. F. A. sponsor. "We wanted to win first places, of course," Gibson said, "but we weren't too disappointed at our final outcome. To be eligible to enter the state contests, we had to be in the top ten per cent in the state. Our teams' final ratings put them in the top one-third of the teams present at the state meeting, so we didn't fare too badly."

En route to Texas A. and M., the boys stopped in Fort Worth for practice judging at the stockyards. While at Fort Worth, they enjoyed a tour through the Armour and company processing plant.

Some local residents were of the opinion that the F. F. A. band was to compete at A. and M. last week-end also, due to the fact that the group won first in an area talent show in Amarillo recently. The winning at Amarillo qualifies the band to participate in the state-wide talent contest at the state F. F. A. convention in Houston in July, Gibson explained. The state contests at A. and M. were for judging purposes only.

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DR. KRITZLER MOVES TO OHIO IN LATE JUNE

Dr. J. H. Kritzler and his family will leave McLean about June 27 to move to Dayton, Ohio, where he plans to take a residency in radiology for the next three years.

The popular physician has been a resident of McLean for the past nine years, and has built up an enviable practice in medicine during that time.

Mrs. Kritzler and their three children, Jimmy, Ellen Kay, and Eric, will go with Dr. Kritzler at the same time. They have already contracted to sell their home south of town to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Back.

Replacing Dr. Kritzler here will be Dr. Joe Suderman. Dr. Suderman has already contracted to buy Dr. Kritzler's practice and equipment, and will be here about July 1. Dr. Suderman, a graduate of the Kansas City College of Osteopathy and Surgery, has been practicing in Tulsa, Okla., for the past three years. He is 37 years of age, is married, and has two children, one nine months of age and one two years of age.

Dr. Kritzler will take his residency at the Grandview Hospital in Dayton. At the completion of the three years, he will do X-ray work.

Both Dr. and Mrs. Kritzler have been leaders in the community since moving here. He has been active in Lions Club work, and is a past president of the local club; he has also been serving on the board of stewards of the McLean Methodist Church.

BIRTHDAYS

- May 22—D. A. Davis, Don Broome.
- May 23—Mrs. Travis Stooks, Guy Hibler, John Sublett, Mrs. Richard Everett.
- May 24—Skipper Morgan, Dan Cooper, Ann Cooper, Mrs. Harlan Rigby.
- May 25—John W. Dwyer, Connie Irene Whittington.
- May 26—Joe Adams, Z. T. Jones.
- May 27—W. W. Boyd, Clyde Richard Brown, Mrs. Wayne McIlroy, Jimmy Corbin, Debra McClellan, Sanford McGee, Frank Hommel.
- May 28—Travis Stokes, Mrs. Jimmie Hill.

TWISTER HITS IN HEALD AREA, DOWNS BARN

High winds—apparently in the form of a twister—did considerable damage to several buildings in the Heald community east of McLean early Sunday evening. The winds hit in that area about 8:30 o'clock.

The property of Mr. and Mrs. Kester Rippy was the recipient of most of the damage. The Rippy barn was a complete loss, the garage was also ruined, and some damage was done to the house.

A small amount of damage was also done to the home of Mrs. Nida Rippy Green, and the Heald church building was damaged slightly.

Rippy's barn was completely demolished by the impact of the wind. The garage was lifted from over the car it was sheltering and moved several feet from the concrete floor. The car was not badly damaged, although one side was bent to some extent and the top was slightly scratched.

The most unusual feature was the damage to the Rippy home. The wind actually scooped about half the shingles from the top of the house, and apparently carried them quite a distance. Only a few of the removed shingles, stripped off with the shingle nails still in the sheathing board, were found near the premises. In addition, the wind knocked out one window. A large amount of damage was also done on the interior of the home by water coming through the stripped roof.

Mr. and Mrs. Rippy were both at home, but received no injuries. Mrs. Rippy took refuge by lying flat on the floor, and he had gone to the back door to look at the cloud when the wind hit.

At Mrs. Green's house, a large tree limb was broken off and fell on the house, damaging some shingles. Her barn was also ruined by the wind.

The church building suffered the loss of one window, but there was little other apparent damage.

No Word as Yet On Second Round Of Salk Vaccine

The State Health Department has not indicated to Dr. Joe Gates, county health officer, when the county will receive Salk vaccine for the second round of first and second graders.

Dr. Gates was given the go-ahead signal to complete the first round of inoculations with the remaining serum on hand. Officials of the U. S. Public Health Service have released details of a plan for allocating the new vaccine. However, it is now believed it will be August or September before sufficient vaccine is released for shots for all children.

Local first and second graders have had only the first shot, and the second will be given when the vaccine is released and shipped to the various states and counties.

Rudyard Kipling, famous English author, lived in the United States for many years.

May's Rain Total Passes Six Inches

With more than one and one-half inches falling in McLean during a 72-hour period the early part of this week, the official rain total for the month of May was brought to 4.89 inches—and for the year to 5.61.

The measurement for the latest shower—that of Tuesday night and Wednesday—was taken at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The shower was still continuing slowly at that time, and it appeared that still more moisture would come before nightfall.

The three showers measured as follows in McLean: Sunday night, .79 of an inch; Monday night, .26 of an inch; and Tuesday night and Wednesday morning, .51 of an inch. These readings were

taken from the official weather gauge of Pete Fulbright, local weather observer.

Rain has now come to all parts of the Panhandle and South Plains, and the Amarillo Weather Bureau declared Wednesday that the "drouth can be considered as broken."

To indicate how the amount of rainfall varies; Sunday night, the moisture here was .79 of an inch; Emory Crockett, who lives just east of McLean, reported at least two and one-half inches in his rain gauge; Mrs. Nida Rippy Green, who lives in the Heald community where the wind damage came Sunday night, said that three and one-half inches fell at that time; Carl Wood said his

rain gauge had caught 6.68 inches since May 1, as compared to the more than four inches in town.

Tornado warnings were issued for several sections of the Panhandle Tuesday afternoon. The area included McLean, and the local schools were dismissed a few minutes early to allow students to get home before the danger might increase. The warnings were finally lifted at about 6 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

A deluge Wednesday night brought a flood of 1.50 inches in 20 minutes time.

Baccalaureate for Seniors Will Be Held Sunday Night

BAND TO GIVE FREE CONCERT TONIGHT AT 8

The McLean High School band will appear in concert tonight at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. Admission will be free.

The concert will contain music of many kinds, Joe Coleman, director, said. In addition to the overtures and marches, there will be two numbers that are a little on the modern side, Morning Mist and Deep Blues. Deep Blues will feature Alton Carpenter as cornet soloist. The band will also play three movements from a four-movement suite entitled Four Episodes for Band. The movements are entitled March, Evening Song, and Samba.

One of the newest marches, March of the Majors, will also be featured. For lovers of Dixieland, the band and the jazz band will furnish music with a very solid beat. Two of these numbers are China Boy and the group's arrangement of Little Brown Jug. Coleman said.

As a slight change of pace, the band will play the lovely Prayer from Hansel and Gretel. "The program will be varied enough to suit the taste of everyone, and we hope to see you Thursday night," the director said.

The program for the exercises will be as follows: Processional, Molly Erwin; invocation, Dr. Buell T. Wells, local Baptist pastor; salutation, Dorothy Pagan; "Memories," class; valedictory, Lester Sitter; address by Claborn; presentation of diplomas, J. W. Meacham, president of school board; benediction, Rev. J. Edwin Kerr, Presbyterian pastor; recessional, Molly Erwin.

GIBSON BUYS McLEAN AUTO PARTS STOCK

Sale of the stock and fixtures of the McLean Auto Supply by Guy Hibler to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gibson and Kenneth Gibson was announced this week.

The transaction was actually made about two weeks ago, but formal announcement was withheld until completion of the inventory.

The Gibsons are now in the process of combining the stock formerly owned by Hibler with that of the G and G Automotive Supply.

Leo Gibson explained that the building his store now occupies is being remodeled, and that some work is yet to be done. A partition has already been removed, and part of the parts racks of the G and G have been moved back to make room for the additional ones acquired with Hibler's fixtures.

Inventory of the stock bought by Gibson is nearly complete, and all of it is expected to be in its new location by the end of the week.

"When we have all the stock combined, we will have one of the largest auto parts stocks in this part of the Panhandle," Gibson said. "We believe that we will be able to serve our customers, as well as those of the former McLean Auto Supply, in a more efficient manner with this larger stock. We invite you to visit with us at any time."

McBroome Infant Rites Held Here

Graveside services for Timothy Neal, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Neal McBroome of Skellytown, were held at Hillcrest Cemetery in McLean at 11 o'clock Monday morning.

Conducting the rites was Rev. Eugene Brand of Skellytown. Services were directed by the Claborn Funeral Home of McLean.

The baby was born dead at Worley Hospital in Pampa Sunday morning at about 4 o'clock. Mrs. McBroome is the former Juanita Hancock of McLean.

The iron lung was invented by Prof. Philip Drinker of Harvard University.



J. C. CLABORN to address 8th graders

8TH GRADERS GRADUATION TO BE MAY 26

Thirty-seven students will complete their elementary school work when graduation exercises for the eighth grade class of McLean are held in the high school auditorium Thursday night, May 26, at 8 o'clock.

Principal speaker for the occasion will be J. C. Claborn, local business man.

The class members are Lewis Earston Adams, James Smith Allison, Johnny George Anders, Anita Marie Back, Sherol Lynn Barker, Jerry Clark Biggers, Thomas Mark Boston, Retha Marie Bragg, Melvin Dean Butrum, Billy Dean Crockett.

And Ella Gale Day, Danny Chan Douglas, Mary Ellen Erwin, Nora Othelia Eustace, Hazel Pearl Goughly, Linda Joyce Grimsley, Phyllis Raye Hancock, Mattie Lou Charlene Henry, Lona Maye Herron, Joe Lawrence Howard, Carolyn Patricia Hugg.

And Clessie Ann Kimbrell, James Windell Knutson, Robert Ray Knutson, Robert Ray Martindale, Edwin Paul McCurley, Loretta Elaine McIlroy, James Winfred Mercer, Dorothy Marie Pagan, Alma Carden Pool, Glenda Sue Preston, James Ed (Continued on back page)

GRADUATES TO HEAR SERMON OF REV. FISHER

Baccalaureate services for the graduating class of McLean High School will be held at the McLean Methodist Church Sunday night beginning at 8 o'clock. Superintendent Freeman Melton Jr. has announced.

Delivering the message this year will be Rev. Marvin Fisher, pastor of the Methodist church.

The program will be as follows:

Processional, Donna Magee; song, "We Adore Thee," choir; invocation, Rev. L. A. Miller, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene; song, "O for a Thousand Tongues," choir; scripture reading, Harold McColum, minister Church of Christ; song, "Lord's Prayer," choir; sermon, Rev. Fisher; song, "The Lord Bless You and Keep You," choir; benediction, Rev. D. L. Hunt, Kellerville Baptist Church pastor; and recessional, Donna Magee.

Commencement exercises for the seniors will be held Friday night, May 27, at 8 o'clock at the Municipal Building.

Class sponsors are Vernon Gibson and Bettye Lynch. Members of the class are Wayne Woods, Eugene Worsham, Troy Smith, Jerry Carter, Rodney Gunn, David Miller, Helen Day, Patsy Herndon, Arline Grigsby, Betty Pearson, Annette Smith, Warren Henley.

And Don VanHuss, Don Broome, James Smith, Jerry Preston, LaRue Pettit, James Jolly, Harold Smith, Arthur Vineyard, Mickey Allen, Everett Yearwood, Carroll Pettit, Rex Immel, Benny Scates, Peggy Duncan, Jim Farren.

And James Andrews, Don Trew, Alton Carpenter, Frankie Tucker, Mario Coleman, Sarah Cunningham, Jim Evans, Mavis Medley, Genie Havens, Joyce Nicholas, and Ricky Mantooth.

LOCAL CHURCH PLANS REVIVAL

A revival meeting will start at the Assembly of God Church in McLean Sunday night, Rev. L. R. Green, pastor, announced this week.

Conducting the meeting will be Rev. Thompson of Lefors. The meeting will continue through next week, and possibly longer.

"The public is invited to attend services each evening beginning at 8 o'clock," the pastor said.

Ghandi was married at the age of 12.

Seniors Enjoy—

TRIP TO OZARK LODGE

The senior class of 1955 of McLean High School returned Sunday evening from their annual trip, filled with fond memories of the week-long excursion.

The group left Tuesday morning of last week, with Kirkwood Lodge, located on the Lake of the Ozarks in Missouri, as their destination. They remained at the lodge until Saturday, when they began their journey back home.

Accompanying the seniors were Principal Jimmy Payne, Class Sponsor Bettye Lynch, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bunch.

Recreational activities included air flights, boat riding, fishing, dancing, a visit to the Phantom Gardens, and general sight-seeing. Horseback riding was not in evidence, due to the rains which came while the group was there.

The lodge is reserved for seniors only usually during the months of March, April, May, and a part of June. While the McLean group was there, so were

about 120 other seniors from various parts of the U. S.

Meals were served at the lodge cafeteria style. A variety of breakfast was available. It was reported that the luncheon meal was light, and the dinner meal was the big feed of the day. As one senior said, "We enjoyed the food—except for the light luncheon at noon."

Among seniors on the trip were Mickey Allen, James Andrews, Don Broome, Jim Evans, Alton Carpenter, Mario Coleman, Jim Farren, Rodney Gunn, Rex Immel, James Jolly, Ricky Mantooth, David Miller, Carroll Pettit, Benny Scates, Harold Smith, James Smith, Troy Smith, Don Trew, Don VanHuss, Arthur Vineyard, Eugene Worsham, Everett Yearwood, Jerry Preston, Wayne Woods, Arline Grigsby, Peggy Duncan, Helen Day, Mavis Medley, Joyce Nicholas, LaRue Pettit, Betty Pearson, Patsy Herndon, Frankie Tucker, and Annette Smith.



AT HOME IN COTTON—Designed for lounging in style, this leisure outfit features a Cheney cotton velvet middie and Italian-style pants of striped cotton broadcloth.

Playlet Is Given At Regular Meet Of Wesleyan Guild

Members of the Wesleyan Service Guild met May 10 at the McLean Methodist Church.

Prayer and the opening song, "A Charge to Keep," was followed by the devotional, Proverbs 31, presented by Ruth Magee.

Participating on the program, "Woman's Responsibility," under the direction of Loyce Sherrod, were Joy Harlan, Georgia Beasley, Helen Black, and Ann Gibson. Mrs. H. A. Longino sang "I Heard the Voice of Jesus" for the musical background of the playlet, "The Woman at the Well," given by Leona Andrews and Erma Hester.

Isabel Cousins, hostess, served refreshments to the members as follows: Billie Brown, Lois Page, Georgia Beasley, Joy Harlan, Martha Parker, Sinclair Armstrong, Maybelle Nash, Dorothy Andrews, Loretta Brown, Loyce Sherrod, Ann Gibson, Ruth Magee, Helen Black, Fern Boyd, Erma Hester, June Story, Dorothy Middleton, Lady Bryant, and Mrs. Longino.

Mrs. Lela Sherrod Hostess at Meet Of Alanreed WMS

The Alanreed Baptist W. M. S. met in the home of Mrs. Lela Sherrod for mission study May 16, with ten members and two children present.

The program was as follows: opening prayer, Lena Carter; duet, "Neath the Old Olive Trees" Opal Stapp and Lela Sherrod; devotional from Psalms 31, Bonnie Money.

Refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served. One quilt was tacked. Jessie Magee was appointed stewardship chairman.

Present were Mesdames Alice Cole, Opal Stapp, Inez Gibson, Lena Carter, Myrtle Ball, B. W. Moreman, Mildred Hill, Jessie Magee, Bonnie Money, and Lela Sherrod.

CARD OF THANKS

To those who expressed their sympathy in so many beautiful and practical ways during our recent bereavement, we extend our heartfelt thanks.

The Family of W. C. Shall

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cooper were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cooper and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ray Cooper and family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crutcher and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Taylor and family of Lefors, and Mrs. Evelyn Bible of Canyon.

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Society

Mrs. Kid McCoy Hostess at Social Of Ladies Auxiliary

The Presbyterian Ladies Auxiliary met Tuesday morning, May 17, with Mrs. Kid McCoy for a social gathering. Delicious doughnuts and coffee were served.

Members and guests present were Mesdames Raymond Glass, Travis Stokes, S. R. Jones, Emory Crockett, E. J. Windom, Claude Powell, C. O. Goodman, Elmo Whaley, J. M. Payne, John B. Rice, E. J. Windom Jr., Chas. E. Cooke, Enloe Crisp, Percy Snooks, Dobbie Crisp, Frank Hambricht, Mattie Whittington, Perry Everett, Vigna Franks, Kid McCoy Jr., Bill Stubbs, and Joe Romer; and Misses Ruby Cook and Kate Morgan. Children present were Eob Glass, Jane Crisp, Pat Windom, and Sandra and Kid Steel McCoy.

Mrs. Joe Willis Hostess at Meet Of Baptist Circle

Mrs. Joe Willis was hostess to members of the Elizabeth Pool circle of the Baptist W. M. U. Tuesday.

Mrs. Homer Abbott taught the mission study.

Those present were Mesdames Sam Jones, Bunia Kunkel, Oba Kunkel, R. L. McDonald, R. L. Appling, George Colebank, E. L. Price, Frank Howard, T. A. Langham, Abbott, and Willis.

Methodist WSCS Breakfast Is Held To Install Officers

The W. S. C. S. of the McLean Methodist Church met Tuesday in the fellowship hall for a breakfast with Mesdames Madge Page, C. H. Day, and J. L. Andrews as hostesses.

Following the breakfast, an installation program for officers for the coming year was held in the chapel of the church, with Mrs. H. A. Longino in charge. There were 19 members present.

DINNER GUESTS

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy C. Saunders were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Birkmeyer and children, Daneen and Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Yoes and children, Bill and Margaret, of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Shewmaker and children, Martha, John, Jim, and Mary, of Pampa; Mrs. Cora Hall of Groom; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall and children, Charlene, Janette, Donna, and Jim Mae, and Mr. and Mrs. George Saunders and children, Janice, Joyce, and Judy. The dinner was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Yoes' 15th wedding anniversary. Later in the afternoon, the host and hostess served ice cream and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Irven Alderson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alderson and son Gene in Clarendon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anders and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Richardson in Shamrock Sunday.

Jack Sanders of Midland is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Sanders. Week-end visitors in the Sanders home were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sanders of Perryton, and Mrs. Joe Black and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Breeze of Carter, Okla.

Liberty H. D. Club Meeting Is Held In Corbin Home

The Liberty Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Troy Corbin, with Mrs. Walter Evans as hostess.

An interesting program on making a cutting bed was given by the county agent, Miss Vera Critten.

Those present were Mesdames Gideon, Rainwater, Davis, Roth,

McCracken, Waldrop, Rallsback, Bailey, Lancaster, Corbin, and Evans.

The next meeting will be June 7 in the home of Mrs. Wallace Rainwater. The program will be given by members of the 4-H Club.

Mrs. Charles Patton of Pampa spent a few days of this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Herndon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phitts and son of Guyton, Okla., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Elton Johnston Saturday.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Martindale were Mr. and Mrs. Carol Moore of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Skinner of Shamrock, and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Harkins.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith of Pampa spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Smith and family.

Mrs. George Cox of Pampa visited with her mother, Mrs. L. M. Blaylock, and other relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Langham accompanied their son T. R. to Childress Tuesday of last week to visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Langham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Tindall of

Borger spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Tindall.

Dr. and Mrs. Kid McCoy Jr. and children of Lawton, Okla., spent a few days this week visiting with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kid McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bilderback and Donald McCracken of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCracken over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hill of Lefors visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Massey Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. J. L. Hess and Mrs. Clyde Magee, accompanied by Mrs. W. E. Ballard of Sulphur Springs, made a business trip to Amarillo Friday.

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Cesar Romero, Ursula Thiess,
Abbe Lane
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in Technicolor

Wednesday, Thursday:

Robert Taylor, Eleanor Parker
"Many Rivers to Cross"
in Color CinemaScope

AVALON

Saturday:

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40 Years Ago— IT HAPPENED HERE

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McLean Boys Win Game

The local baseball team scored another victory over Groom Wednesday by a score of 4 to 3, the game being played on the Groom diamond. It is reported to have been an excellent game throughout with but few errors chargeable to either side. The locals claim to have garnered ten hits and only allowed the Groom players five, which was "fair enough." Vester Cooke pitched six innings and Roy Richardson the remaining three. While all the boys were in fine form, the honor of being the star player of the game goes to Bill Bundy, who managed to gather two long flies out of interstellar space that should, by rights, have been home runs. Bill is new to the game, this being his debut into matched events, but he hit it off like a veteran. The local lineup was as follows: Vester Cooke, C. C. Bird, Connie Miles, Bill Bundy, and Roy Richardson.

The boys went over Tuesday afternoon in autos, returning Wednesday morning. W. A. Stubbs and Everett Watkins furnished the conveyances.

Study Club Notes

Mrs. W. B. Upham made a most interesting leader for the Study Club Friday afternoon of last week, when the club met at the home of Mrs. Homer Crabtree. Jefferson's administration was similar to the present administration and a keen interest was shown by the class in a general discussion of the similar points, as well as a comparison of the two men. Thomas Jefferson and Woodrow Wilson. Long-fellow proved to be the favorite poet and many beautiful quotations were given. The discussion of Hawthorne's "Scarlet Letter" brought out some interesting points and created a desire to read it again, it being noticeable that almost every lady present had read it at the age of 14 or 15.

Missionary Society Notes

The Missionary Society of the Methodist church met at the usual hour Tuesday. Twelve members were present with one new member.

This being the regular business meeting, all officers reported. We are sending delegates to the annual conference at Memphis this week. They will not return home in time for the meeting next Tuesday, but each member is requested to be present, bringing her last study book for a lesson on "The Mother and the Christ Child," led by Mrs. Boyett. The usual devotional services will also be held.

Weaver Sells Cows

George Weaver this week sold his cows, numbering 60 head, with their calves, to a Mr. Kraft of Dalhart and delivered them Tuesday. Mr. Weaver has been feeding this stuff all winter and they are in fine shape. It is understood the consideration was \$65.

Fine Yearlings

W. P. Rogers this week purchased from Geo. W. Sitter 200 fine white faced yearlings and received them Wednesday. It is understood the consideration was \$40.

Petition to Austin

C. S. Rice Wednesday completed and mailed a petition to the Railroad Commission at Austin protesting against the proposed raise in freight rates that will fall heavily upon shippers in this section. The petition was signed by more than a hundred citizens.

Similar petitions will be sent from all Panhandle points and a number of representatives from Amarillo and other towns will attend in person.

Wall Heater Saves Space



The wall heater—one of the newest of all gas heating appliances—has a unique advantage: it doesn't take any floor space, not a single square inch. The Coleman wall heater, above, is 14 1/2 inches wide, so that it fits precisely between wall studs spaced the standard 16 inches apart. Wall heaters are made to supply heat to rooms on both sides of the wall or on one side only. Wall heaters are often used to heat finished attics and additions, sections that the original heating system doesn't cover.



It's only a small card—about twice the width and three times the length of an ordinary penny postage stamp. Nevertheless, it's important. It's like an insurance policy. It indicates membership in the largest insurance system in the world.

It's a very easy card to lose—as thousands of high school students know from personal experience. The issuing of duplicates actually costs the U. S. government thousands of dollars every year.

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This little card is your social security account number card. It has your name and your number on it. Take good care of it. Don't be one of the "losers." Keep it in a safe place so you will have it when you need it.

When you apply for a number, the government establishes an account for you which remains open as long as you live. When you reach 65 and retire or when you die, the wages credited to your account will be used in determining the benefits payable of you and your dependents. Naturally, if some of your wages aren't posted, you may not get the full benefit to which you are entitled.

So protect that social security card of yours—take good care of it. If you lose it, get a dupli-

cate from the social security office. And always show your social security card to every person you ever work for. That's good business—it's good sense—and it's the only way you can be sure you are credited with all the wages you have earned.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Campbell and daughter Chris were Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. L. C. Jones and Mrs. Lucy Crow in Shamrock.

Mrs. J. L. Mann, Mrs. Joe Simpson, and Mrs. Leroy Williams were released from Highland General Hospital in Pampa Tuesday of last week.

Don Cooke of Plains is visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooke and Mrs. D. C. Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Havens of California are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Havens of Kellerville.

Mrs. Bill Day and daughter Karen spent the week-end in Wellington with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Franks.

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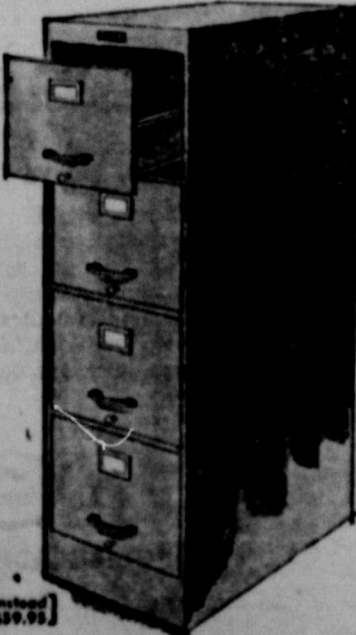
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Editorial

THE AMERICAN petroleum industry recently conducted a survey that said, in effect, "Come on, ask us an embarrassing question." The survey disclosed that the public did indeed have some rather impolite questions to ask about gasoline and the oil industry.

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BEACHCOMBERS—Cotton swim suit styles for 1955 feature ultra-feminine, come-hither look, reports the National Cotton Council. These glamour suits by Sea Nymph exemplify the trend.

TALK By LESTER

It appears that, before too long, the property-owning taxpayers of Gray County may be called upon to decide the fate of a bond issue in the amount of \$300,000.

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Auditor Ray Wilson told the people at the meeting last week. Jewel explained to me that the hospital now has only about 20 private rooms—the remainder are shared with other patients.

any at all since the original investment in its construction was made. If the survey by the 25 citizens indicates that a number of people feel the addition to the hospital is a good thing, then the bond election will be called by the commissioners.

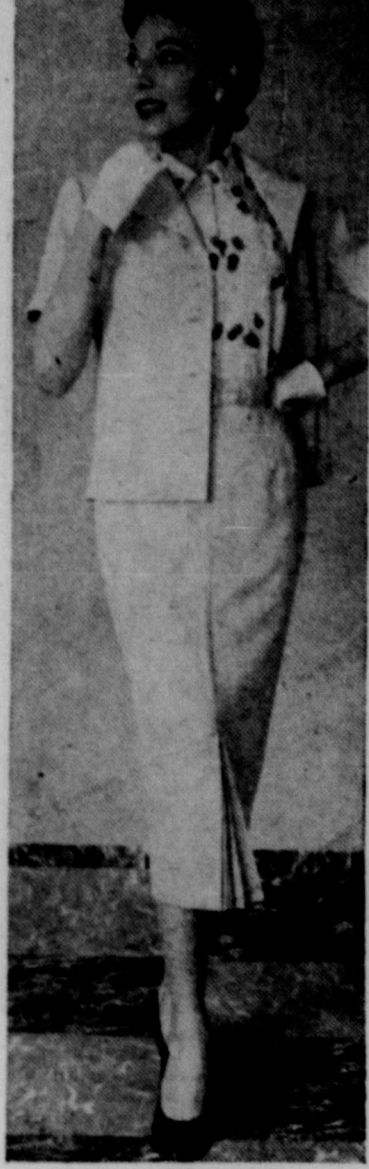
A couple of jokes and I'll quit for this week: It seems a motorist driving through the country had motor trouble. He got out and raised up the hood to see if he might locate it.

A farmer was out in his field one day, sprinkling purple dust over the ground, when a stranger passed by. "Why are you sprinkling that purple dust on the ground?" he asked.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan visited with Mrs. Margaret Callahan in Childress Sunday. Melvin Davis of Wichita Falls visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis, Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Patterson and daughter Brenda Diane of Amarillo spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Guill. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Window spent the week-end visiting with relatives in Colorado Springs, Colo.

Texas Trends dallas fashion center



Blouse, skirt and jacket for a completely co-ordinated look or to go separate ways fashioned of Rawls by Nardis of Dallas. The brightly printed blouse of pongee is sleeveless and has a convertible collar. The short sleeved match box jacket with its tab detailing at the hem line is an ideal wrap for summer dresses and other skirts and blouses. The slim skirt has a double pleat for walking room.

Mrs. J. H. Bradley and Mrs. H. L. Chase and grandson, Drew Jolly, visited with Mrs. W. W. Morris and Mrs. A. N. Trout in Mobeetie Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Hershel McCarty and sons and Mrs. Odessa Gunn visited with Mrs. J. T. Gunn in Clarendon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Baker of Wichita, Kans., were week-end visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Baker. The group went to Pampa Saturday night to visit with other relatives.

Mrs. M. Goodman of Lynwood, Calif., and Mrs. Della Keathly of Corsicana spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cliett, James Cliett, and Janice Stafford spent the week-end in Tulsa, Okla., visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Nailon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Green of Fort Worth spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Green. Mrs. Green accompanied them home for a two-weeks visit.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Jones were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ayers and daughter of Memphis, Emma Ayers of Clarendon, and Mrs. Adderline DuBose and Ethel and Mabel Brown of Amarillo.



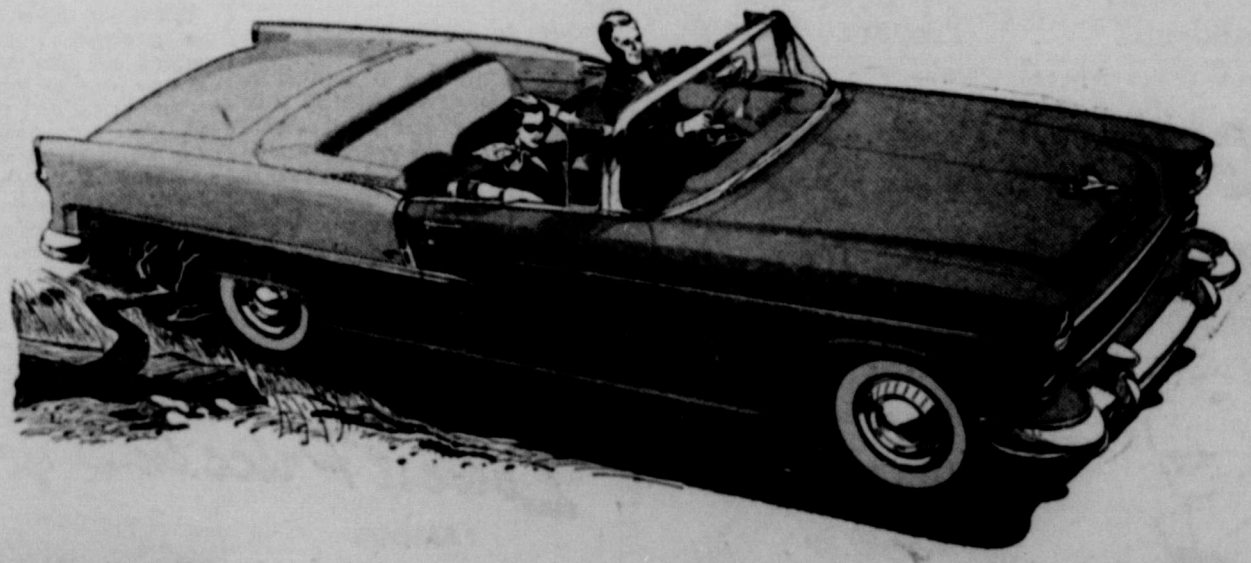
Jack: "What has four legs, eats oats, has a tail, and sees equally well from both ends?" Mack: "I don't know." Jack: "A blind horse."

Interviewer: "Had any experience?" Applicant: "Used to be a dairymaid in a candy factory." Interviewer: "What did you do there?" Applicant: "Milk chocolates."

The rains have been wonderful, haven't they? If your car is now in need of washing and lubrication, drive in today and let us service it. We do our utmost to please you.

Chevron Gas Station ODELL MANTOOTH Mrs. C. L. Cooper of Amarillo spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cooper.

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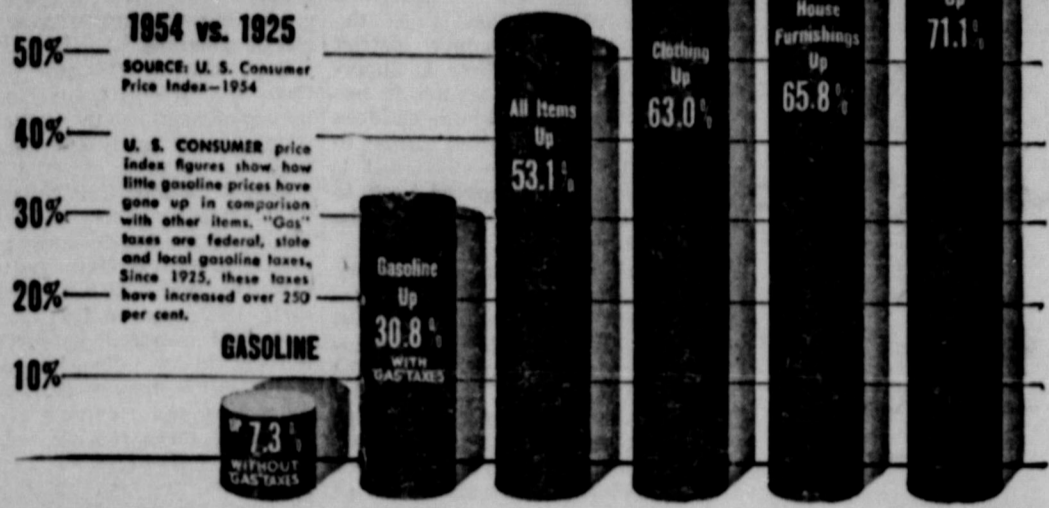


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OPEN HOUSE FOR AMARILLO BASE PLANNED

The gates of Amarillo Air Force Base, home of the world's largest jet airplane training school, will swing open Saturday, Armed Forces Day, to visitors from all parts of the Panhandle. The celebration will begin at 1 o'clock May 21, and will continue until 5; it will last through Sunday, May 22, from 10 in the morning until 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Visitors will see on exhibit the B-47 long range jet bomber; the F-100 Super Sabrejet; the F-84 Thunderjet, and F-86 Sabrejet which won fame during the Korean air fighting; latest types of gunnery, radar and communications equipment; an aerial fly-over of precision maneuvers. At 3 o'clock a massive parade of 2,000 Air Force, Navy, Marine, and Texas National Guard troops will pass in review, with bands, drum and bugle corps, and colors of participating units. Following the review, the Honorable Frank Millard, General Counsel, U. S. Army, will speak on the importance of air power in insuring world peace.

Guided tours have been arranged for visitors to see such base facilities as food service and dining halls, service club activities, hobby shops, athletic and recreational facilities, and the MARS radio station. A snack bar and refreshment stands will operate at convenient locations throughout the display areas.

Amarillo Air Force Base is located on Highway 60 and 66 ten miles northeast of Amarillo. Air policemen on duty at both entrances will guide drivers to parking lots near the scene of central events.

Rotation Grazing—RATED AS ESSENTIAL

Rotation grazing is essential to good pasture management. "Cattle feeding continuously on a pasture can trample a lot of good grazing into the ground," E. M. Trew, extension pasture specialist, says. "Grazing efficiency studies show that often only 50 per cent of the grazing produced is eaten by livestock." Pasture rotation "rotations out" the grazing and forces livestock to remove all the growth from a small area in a short time. Under rotation, plants may be grazed when most palatable and are given opportunity for regrowth and rest between grazings. "Since rotation grazing calls for cross-fencing, the use of inexpensive portable electric fences is recommended. Many stockmen who practice rotation will have more grass from now until about July 1 than they can use," Trew says. If the supply outstrips demand, bale or ensile the excess for feed insurance.

Mowing is important to proper pasture management for two reasons: to control weeds and to revert plants into new growth. Mowing during the growing season keeps plants in a vegetative, nutritious condition.

Other investments of time and labor which go into improved pastures are wasted, however, unless there is ample fertility in the soil. A soil test tells the right kind and amounts of fertilizer you need.

Animals grazing lush, fast growing pasture will need some dry hay, Trew adds. Many stockmen meet this requirement by moving several strips across their pastures. This way, cattle pick up the dry grass as needed.

CARD OF THANKS
Words cannot adequately express my deep appreciation for the flowers, cards, gifts, and other kindnesses shown me during my recent stay in the hospital.
Mrs. Leroy Williams

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Howard of Borger spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McClellan and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carter and family of Skellytown visited with her mother, Mrs. O. K. Lee and family, Sunday.

Jerry Guyton of WTSC Canyon, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Guyton.

Bill Rome of New York City is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Kid McCoy and other relatives this week.



MAGGIE MCKENZIE, popular radio star of KGNC says, "Every woman knows light Karo is best for cooking... and on the table..."

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News From—ALAN REED

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Cox of Borger visited in the Brooks Magee home Sunday.

Paul and Jim Bruce and Josh Cox Jr. fished at Buffalo Lake Friday.

Mrs. Willis Harlan and granddaughters, Pat and Nancy Craig, made a business trip to Pampa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Dalton and children and Mrs. Betty Dalton of McLean visited in the Cecil Carter home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyne Griffin of Pampa visited their parents here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bruce have returned to Oklahoma.

Mrs. Jim Bruce and children and Mrs. Cecil Carter were in Pampa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sineletery of Clovis, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Critchlow of Amarillo visited with Mrs. M. M. Newman and other relatives Sunday.

Donita Bailey of Amarillo spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey. Miss Bailey is now employed as a secretary at the KGNC-TV station.

SPEAKING OF CARDS

DIAMONDS ARE PRICELESS

Most of us see in a deck of playing cards an inexpensive, wholesome way of spending a few relaxed hours with friends. In addition, some famous Americans have found even greater and more ingenious uses for the pasteboards.

Benjamin Franklin, in addition to being statesman, author and inventor, was one of the first manufacturers of playing cards in the United States. He even used cards in some of his early electrical experiments. In 1731, Franklin made a "friction machine" which created friction by means of a belt connecting two wheels, over which hung a silk curtain. On a revolving rod at the top were eight discs cut from old playing cards.

Around 1750, it was the style to send invitations written on the backs of playing cards. There is one such card in a collection of historic playing cards at the Cincinnati Museum. On the back of the card is an invitation written to the granddaughter

of the first mayor of Philadelphia. In lovely old script it says, "The gentlemen of the Army present their compliments to Mrs. Jeykell and beg the favor of her company to a ball at the Statehouse on Monday next."

The well-known Lord Geoffrey Amherst was another famous person who followed this custom by using playing cards with plain backs for the handwritten invitations he sent out for some of his famous parties. In his time it was popular to cut cards into quarters and to use the sections as visiting cards. This may well have been the origin of our modern visiting cards.

In 1765 playing cards were used as admission cards to the classes at the University of Pennsylvania. One of the most unusual uses for cards and certainly the most expensive one ever made was a single playing card that sold at public auction in 1890 for \$13,750. The card was a five of diamonds, appropriately, which contained a miniature painting by Hans Holbein, the famous German painter who lived in the 15th Century and who was one of the foremost artists of his time.

Paintings on playing cards are rare nowadays but many people find that it is fun to trim up their old decks and fasten them together in unusual table decorations for parties, or to cut up the face cards and paste the heads on paper match-cases.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bragg and daughters spent the week-end in Amarillo visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John L. Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis McClellan and daughters of Pampa visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McClellan, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Burris of Kerrville and Warrant Officer and Mrs. Ray Monty of Norfolk, Va., visited from Sunday until Tuesday with their son and brother, Legon Burris, Mrs. Burris, and Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rice.

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Shurfine Whole Sweet
PICKLES 22 oz. jar 35c

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Cello. package
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Heavy fryers for sale. See R. O. Cunningham, Phone 1600F21. 1p

For Sale—9x12 Congoleum rugs, \$11.95 value for \$9.95; 9x19 all-wool carpet, \$190.00 value for \$119.00. McLean Hardware and Furniture. 1c

Plenty of tomato plants for sale at Shamrock Floral, Phone 181; 120 S. Main, Shamrock. 1c

For Sale—Fryers, dressed for locker, or on foot; also fresh eggs. Mrs. Roy McCracken, Ph. 1600F3. 20-2c

For Sale—Modern house, 4 rooms and bath; good shape. See J. E. Smith, or call 30W. 1c

Fryers for sale. See Charles Williams at McLean Electric. 1c

For Sale—Tomato plants, pepper plants, and flower plants. McLean Flower Shop, Phone 13W. 20-2c

WANTED

WANTED—Feeder pigs and shoats. Amarillo Hog Co., 3 miles east Texaco refinery on 3rd Ave. Phone DR4-0773. 12-tfc

MISCELLANEOUS

Will do saw filing. J. E. Smith, Phone 30W. 13-tfc

PIANO TUNING—Organ and player piano tuning and repair. New and used pianos for sale. Write or call John M. Branham, 101 S. Faulkner, Phone 4-5882, Pampa. 19-tfc

If your lawn needs mowing, call Bob Weaver at 189W. 20-3p

Will dress fryers for deep freeze or locker, 25c each. Mrs. G. F. Vineyard. 1p

Gossip—

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of Piano Teachers.
 The winners in the festival were announced this month from national headquarters in Austin. During the year, 38,765 piano pupils from coast-to-coast have participated. This gigantic piano-playing event, culminating in 1955, really was begun a year ago when the National Piano-Playing Auditions were held in 403 music centers of the nation, wherein nearly 40,000 were entered, gaining eligibility to send recordings of their playing to be judged. A grade above 90 was necessary to send in recordings.
 Miss Day's recorded program included "Two Part Invention in B Flat" by Bach; "Finale" by Haydn; "Traumerel" by Schumann; "Au Matin" by Godard; and "You," Cuban folk song, arranged by John Thompson.

CARD OF THANKS
 I would like to take this means of expressing my heartfelt thanks to friends and church members for the cards, flowers, visits, and other kindnesses shown me during my recent stay in the hospital and since I have been home.
 Mrs. Don Alexander

There were 28 women and 74 men on the Mayflower.

HERE'S HEALTH! By Lewis

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INTER-SQUAD GRADE SCHOOL GAME TODAY

Well, look what's here football!

An inter-squad game will be played this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Duncan Stadium between the Blues and the Whites of the McLean elementary school squad.

The Blues are headed by Captain Joe Howard, and the Whites by Captain Billy Crockett. The boys are from the seventh and eighth grades, Coach Hap Rogers said. Rogers will serve as the official for the game, and will also aid the offensive team in choosing its plays—the boys have run plays for only four practice sessions.

Line-up for the Blues is as follows: Jimmy Allison and Don Cash, left and right ends; Lester Sitter and Egston Adams, left and right tackles; Orphus Tate and Carey Don Smith, left and right guards; Johnny Anders, center; Joe Howard, tailback; Ronnie Smith, fullback; Kent Wiggins, blocking back; and Jimmy Rice, wingback. Subs are Tommy Boston, Wendell Knutson, and J. Lowe.

For the Whites, the line-up is as follows: Robert Miller and Jerry Stubblefield, left and right ends; Bob Weaver and Jim McDonald, left and right tackles; O. K. Lee and Paul McCurley, left and right guards; Melvin Butrum, center; Billy Crockett, tailback; David Crockett, fullback; Jerry Biggers, blocking back; and Butch Carter, wingback. Subs are Jerry Kunkel and Jerry Smith.

"The Blues should prove to be the best passing team, and the Whites the best running team," Rogers said. "We invite anyone interested to come out this afternoon and watch the boys in action."

Ray Barrett, Bobby Newsom, and Gale Plummer, students at WTSC, Canyon, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dysart.



At Home—

NEW BOSS

Capt. and Mrs. H. L. Appling of Hampton, Va., are the parents of a boy born May 10. He weighed 7 pounds, 5 1/2 ounces, and has been named Dennis Eugene. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Appling of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Crain of Louisville, Ky.

REVEILLE



... with the boys

Pvt. Clifford M. Martindale of Camp Chafee, Ark., is spending a 15-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Martindale.

Mrs. Mattie Whittington of Big Spring spent a few days of this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Crisp.

Mrs. Marvin Hindman underwent surgery Tuesday morning at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Kre of Whiting, Ind., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Miro Pakan and family Thursday.



COTTON BROADLOOM—The rich simplicity of native-woven Moroccan rugs inspired this new cotton broadloom pattern by Karastan, one of many cottons styled for casual living.

MARTIN DIES IN CALIFORNIA

L. L. Martin, brother-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Matthews and a former resident of McLean, died May 7 at Menlo Park, Calif. He was 58 years of age, and had lived in Menlo Park for the past two years.

The body was shipped to Davis, Okla., for burial. Attending the services were Mrs. C. E. Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Matthews, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Brown of McLean; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Matthews of Pampa; and Mr. and Mrs. Deb Smith of Shamrock.

Martin had suffered from hardening of the arteries for a number of years, and died suddenly of a heart attack.

He had operated a service station in McLean prior to leaving here a few years ago.

8th Graders—

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ward Rice, Flora Jean Simpson, Lester Dewey Sitter, Billie Louise Smith, Ronnie Dale Smith, Malissalu Caroline Stokes, and Richard Kent Wiggins.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Myatt visited relatives in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. Fed Birdwell of Chandler, former McLean resident, was here Friday and Saturday visiting with friends.



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